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MICKEY
& FRIENDS

Santa's Little Helper

It was Christmas Eve, and all was quiet. Mickey and Pluto were fast asleep when . . . *Achoo! Achoo! Achoo!*

A chorus of sneezes outside woke them. They ran to the window to see the commotion.

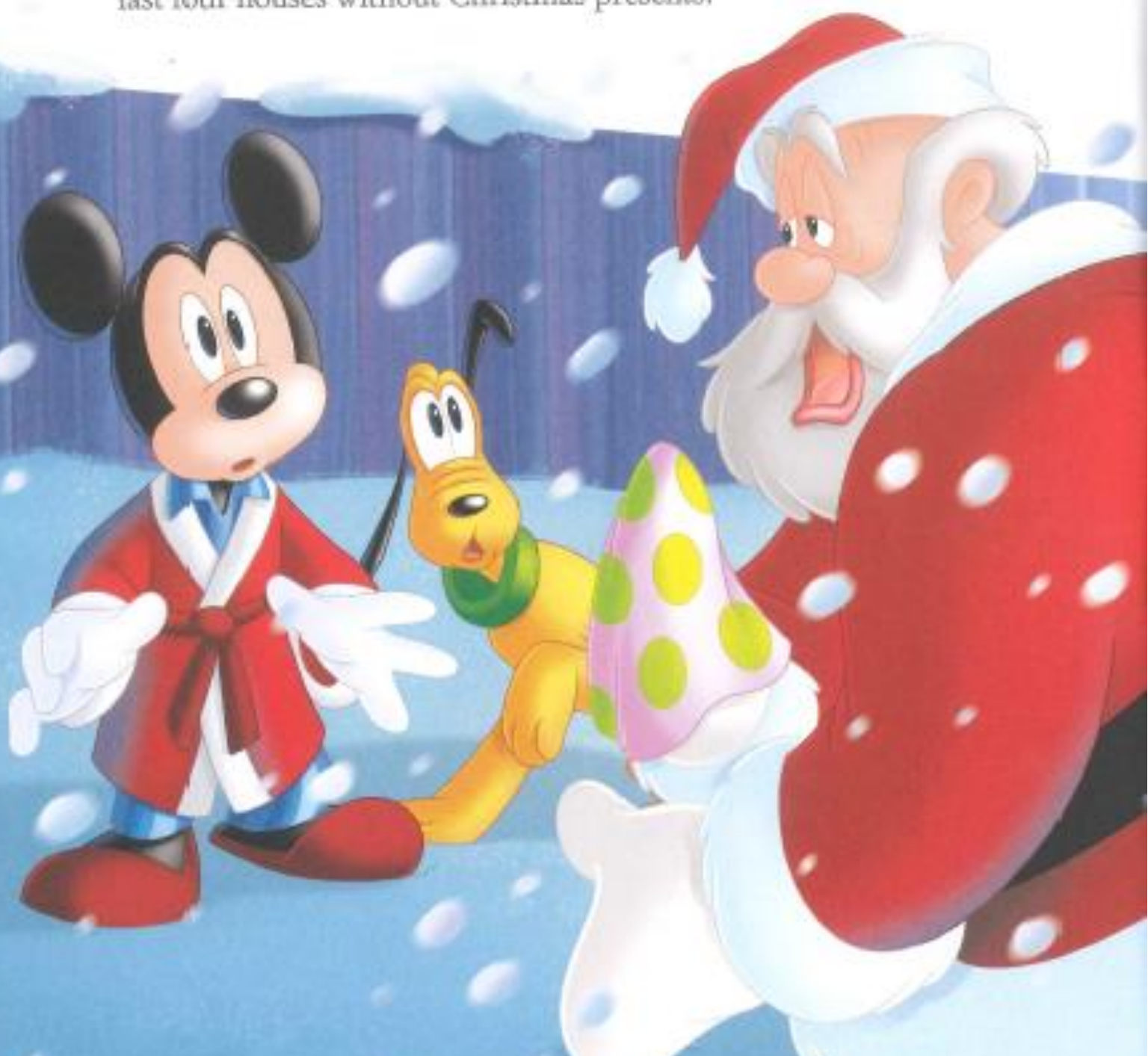
Mickey couldn't believe his eyes: Santa Claus was standing in his backyard! Attached to Santa's sleigh were nine reindeer with bright red noses. *That's funny*, Mickey thought to himself. *Isn't Rudolph supposed to be the only one with a red nose?*



Mickey ran outside in his pajamas. "Merry Christmas, Santa!" he said. "Is something wrong?"

"It's all this sneezing!" Santa said. "Dasher was sniffing when we left the North Pole, and now everyone but Rudolph has come down with a bad cold! We all need to get home to bed, but we still have four houses to visit."

The reindeer promptly let out another round of sneezes. They looked miserable! But what could Santa do? He couldn't leave his last four houses without Christmas presents!

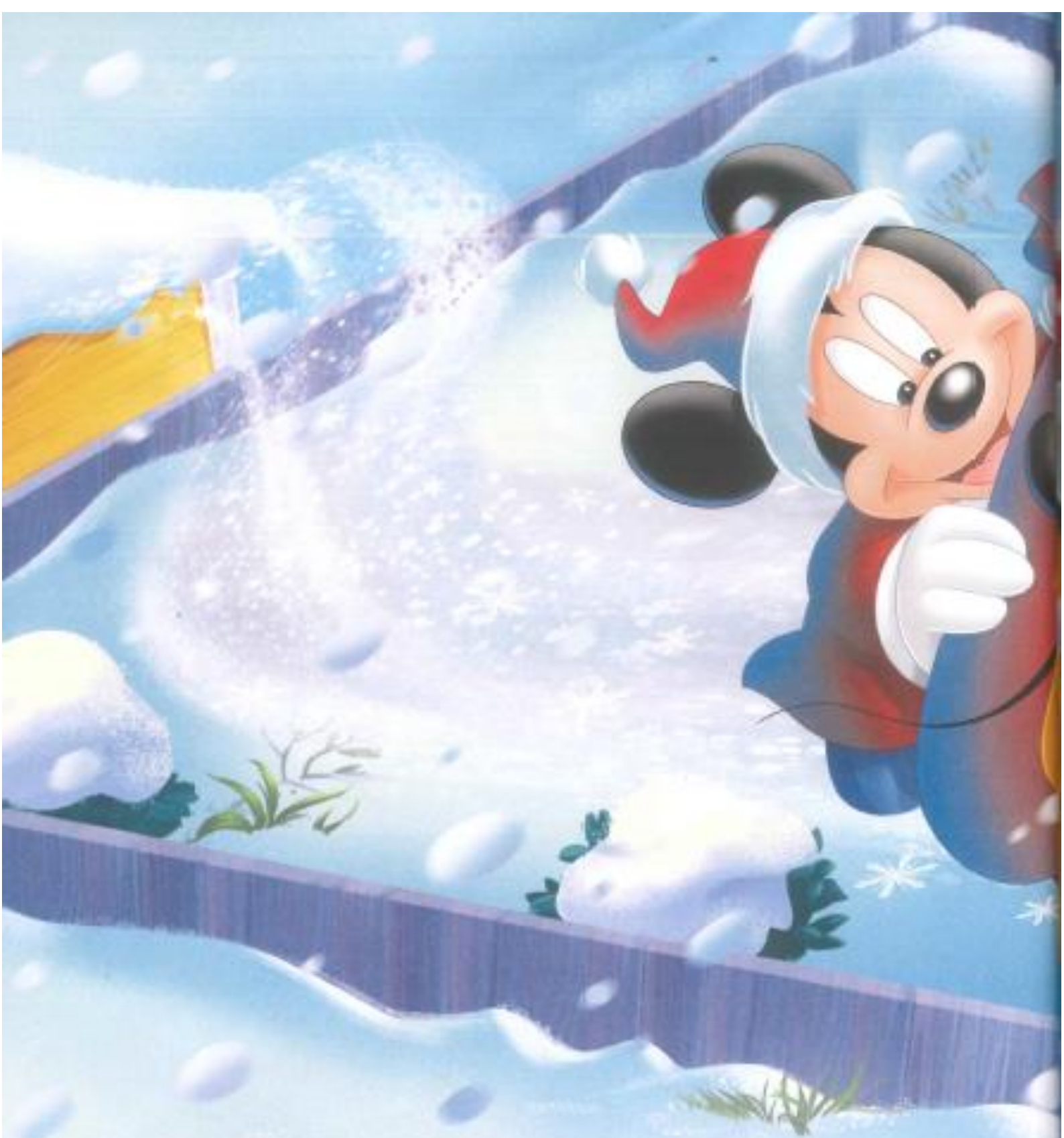




"Gee, maybe Pluto and I can help," Mickey said. "We'd be happy to deliver the presents for you!"

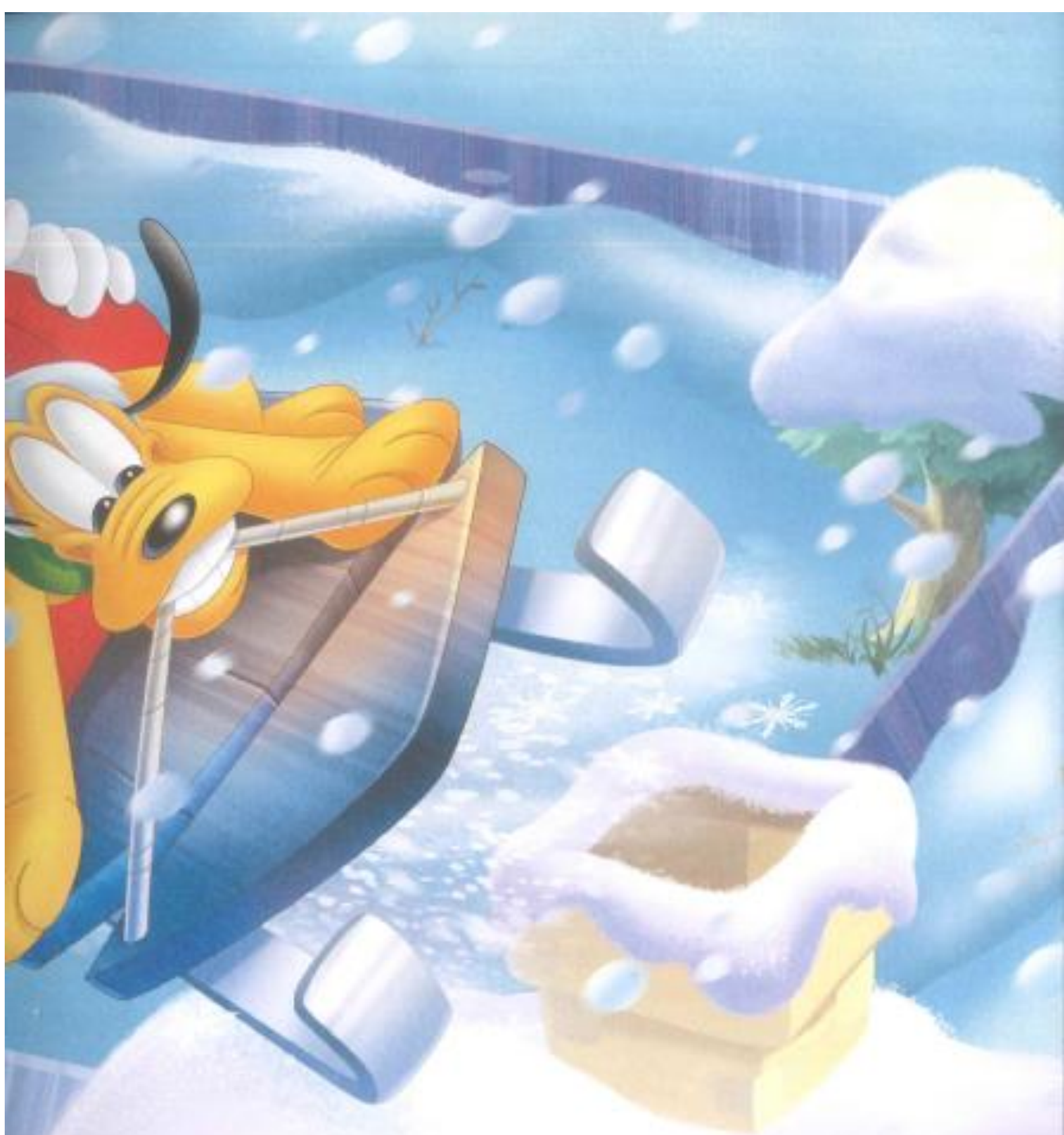
"Oh, thank you, Mickey!" Santa said. He lifted a huge red sack out of his sleigh. "My gift sack is full of Christmas magic; it will help you make the deliveries."

Santa Claus handed Mickey a list of presents to deliver. Then he climbed back into his sleigh and the reindeer slowly lifted off into the sky, coughing and sneezing all the way.



Mickey pulled his sled from the garage and hauled it over to the giant sack of gifts. He expected the bag to be very heavy, but when he picked it up, it was as light as a feather!

"That must be the Christmas magic Santa mentioned," Mickey said. "Come on, Pluto, let's finish Santa's deliveries!"



Pluto grabbed the sled's rope in his mouth. He stepped forward to pull it behind him, when suddenly . . .

Pluto, Mickey, and the sled rose into the air. They were flying!

"Whoa! More Christmas magic!" Mickey said, holding on tight as the sled steered itself to their first stop.

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PRINCESS
Cinderella

A Perfect Party

Cinderella and her prince sat before a roaring fire. Christmas was coming in a few days, and Cinderella was excited.

"Let's throw a party!" she suggested to the Prince.

"What a splendid idea!" he replied. "How can I help?"

Cinderella smiled. "Just leave everything to me," she said.





The next day, the princess began to decorate.

"May we help, Cinderelly?" Jaq and Gus asked.

"Of course!" she replied. "Let's start with the grand staircase."

The mice were tying some bows when a spool of ribbon began to unwind and roll down the banister. Gus hopped aboard. It was just like a sleigh ride—without the sleigh!





When Cinderella and her friends finished the staircase, they moved on to the rest of the castle. Jaq and Gus helped the princess put garland over the windows in the ballroom.

They tied sprigs of holly over the doorways. They even hung stockings by the fireplaces.

